

# **BLACKSBURG POLICE DEPARTMENT**

## **News Release**

**Date:** May 2, 2005

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**Subject:** Felony Marijuana Arrest

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On April 30, 2005, Blacksburg Police arrested a 43 year old Montgomery County man for felony drug charges.

This investigation, that lasted a month, began when Blacksburg Detectives received information about a package being shipped from California to Blacksburg that contained approximately three pounds of marijuana.

Blacksburg Detectives intercepted this package and arranged for its delivery to the suspect in an undercover sting operation. When the suspect arrived to take possession of the marijuana package he was immediately taken into custody by police.

Blacksburg Detective Anthony Wilson arrested Russell P. Carrington, 43 of Montgomery County for Possession with Intent to Distribute Marijuana. Carrington is incarcerated in the Montgomery County Jail without bond.